

*ABSTRACT AMENDMENTS*

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A trigger assembly for an electric power tool, ~~comprises~~ includes a switch for electrical connection to the power tool for controlling ~~its~~ operation of the power tool, and a trigger coupled with the switch for operating the switch. The trigger is pivotable about ~~its~~ an upper end between an outer position in which the switch is open and an inner position in which the switch is closed. Also included is a locking member ~~provided~~ located adjacent the lower end of the trigger for locking the trigger in the outer position. The locking member is movable from a locking position, locking the trigger in the outer position, to an unlocking position releasing the trigger.